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STATE OF LOUISIANA JAMES H. BODDIE, JR. CLERK OF COURT	DOCKET NO: 81121-81123
VERSUS	11TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
ADAM JAMES ROMERO	SABINE PARISH, LOUISIANA

**ADAM JAMES ROMERO'S MOTION TO WITHDRAW MOTION TO RECUSE**

NOW INTO COURT, through undersigned counsel, comes Adam James Romero, defendant in the above numbered and styled prosecution, who, with respect, represents:

1.

On September 8, 2021, Mr. Romero was set for a jury trial; however, Mr. Romero previously had requested to waive his right to a jury trial and to proceed to a bench trial before Judge Stephen B. Beasley; the State had not objected to the waiver.

2.

On September 8, 2021, Mr. Romero informed his then attorney that, outside of court, Mr. Romero had received what purported to be an *ex parte* text message from Judge Beasley, which concerned the case and a possible outcome of the case.

3.

Mr. Romero's then counsel filed a motion to recuse and a motion to withdraw as counsel of record.

4.

This matter was set for a hearing on the motion to recuse on October 7, 2021, before Judge James H. Boddie, Jr.

5.

Mr. Romero has learned that the purported text from Judge Beasley was a hoax and that Judge Beasley did not have, or attempt to have, an *ex parte* communication with Mr. Romero.

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Accordingly, after consulting with Mr. Romero, undersigned counsel desires to withdraw the motion to recuse; moreover, undersigned counsel respectfully asks this Court to cancel as moot the October 7, 2021, hearing on the motion to recuse.

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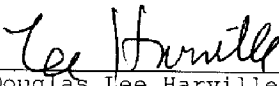
Mr. Romero, by his signature below, joins and adopts this motion, as he desires to withdraw the motion to recuse and respectfully asks this Court to cancel as moot the October 7, 2021, hearing on the motion to recuse.

8.

The District Attorney's Office was contacted to see if they opposed the filing of this motion and the relief requested herein. Undersigned counsel has not received an objection as of the filing of this motion.

WHEREFORE, defendant, Adam James Romero, respectfully prays that this Court (1) allow Mr. Romero to withdraw the motion to recuse; and (2) cancel as moot the October 7, 2021, hearing on the motion to recuse.

Respectfully submitted,  
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ATTORNEY FOR ADAM JAMES ROMERO

**CERTIFICATE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have read the above motion to withdraw motion to recuse. The assertions made therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I have learned that the purported text from Judge Beasley was a hoax and that Judge Beasley did not have, or attempt to have, an *ex parte* communication with me. Accordingly, after consulting with my attorney, I desire to withdraw the motion to recuse; moreover, I respectfully ask this Court to cancel as moot the October 7, 2021, hearing on the motion to recuse.

By my signature below, I join and adopt this motion and the relief requested herein.

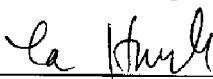
Many, Louisiana, this 28th day of September, 2021.

  
Adam James Romero

**CERTIFICATE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the above and foregoing has been served on the Sabine Parish District Attorney's Office by mail, by electronic mail, by hand delivery, or by hand delivery to the Clerk of Court's box for the District Attorney.

Shreveport, Louisiana, this 28th day of September, 2021.

  
Douglas Lee Harville

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**ORDER**

CONSIDERING the foregoing motion to withdraw motion to recuse filed herein by Mover, Adam James Romero:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Adam James Romero be and hereby is allowed to WITHDRAW his previously filed motion to recuse.

IT FURTHER HEREBY IS ORDERED that the October 7, 2021, hearing on Adam James Romero's motion to recuse be and hereby is canceled as MOOT.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at \_\_\_\_\_, Louisiana, on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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JUDGE AD HOC JAMES H. BODDIE, JR.